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Re: Request for Public Documents-Sierra County

Dear Requestor:

This letter responds to your email dated August 2, 2019 requesting documents to be provided by the County of Sierra regarding the office of Auditor/Controller and Treasurer/Tax Collector (Office).

- Request for 700 forms for the Office-these documents will be provided.
- Records of Public Meetings regarding the Office-to the extent available these documents will be provided.
- Emails and memoranda mentioning California Government Code section 1099, simultaneous appointment, or dual appointment, communications with Fair Political Practices Commission or Attorney General regarding the Office-these documents will not be provided as such disclosure is overly burdensome and would impact public services to an extreme extent. As a further objection, some of the requested documents would be protected from disclosure by the attorney/client privilege.
- Records of previous complaints or investigations concerning the independence of the Office-to the extent that disclosed documents will not invade a confidential investigation, these documents will be produced to the extent they exist.

Since you are requesting five (5) years of records, the County of Sierra shall produce the documents under the extension of time for disclosure as provided in Government Code section 6253(c). Thus, the documents will be produced to extent possible by August 26, 2019. County will advise you of the fees required to obtain the responsive documents when such documents have been assembled.

County of Sierra

/s/ David A. Prentice County Counsel